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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEIn re application of: **Donato Forienza et al.**Docket: **BUR120010133US1**Serial No.: **10/064,398**Examiner: **Kerveros, James C.**Filed: **07/10/2002**Group Art Unit: **2133**For: **FUNCTIONAL PATTERN LOGIC DIAGNOSTIC METHOD****REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1,116**

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Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 30, 2004. Applicants respectfully request a re-examination of the present application; reconsideration of the objection to the abstract of the specification; reconsideration of the objection to the claims 1 to 15 due to grammatical informalities; and reconsideration of the rejection of claims 1 to 15 under 35 U.S.C. § 112 as being indefinite in light of the following amendments and remarks.

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